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## MA AND THE AUTO

Before we take auto ride Pa says to Ma, "My dear, Now just remember I don't need assistance from the rear; If you will just keep still back there and hold in check your fright I'll take you where you want to go and get you back all right. Remember that my hearing's good and also I'm not blind And can drive this car without suggestions from behind."

Ma promises that she'll keep still, then off we go. But soon she notices ahead a peddler and his cart. "You'd better toot your horn," says she, "to let him know we're near. Just shriek at him, my dear. He might turn out," and Pa replies And then he adds: "Some day some guy will make a lot of dough By putting horns on tonneau seats for women folks to blow."

A little further on Ma says: "He signaled for a turn." And Pa says: "Did he," in a tone that's hot enough to burn. "Oh, there's a boy on roller skates." Ma cries, "now do go slow, I'm sure he doesn't see our car." An' Pa says: "I dunno, I think I don't need glasses yet, but really it may be That I'm blind an' cannot see what's right in front of me."

If Pa should speed the car a bit some rigs to hurry past, Ma says: "Now do be careful! You are driving much too fast." An' all the time she's pointing out the dangers of the street. An' keeps him posted on the roads where street cars he will meet. Last night when we got safely home, Pa sighed an' said: "My dear, I'm sure we all enjoyed the drive you gave us from the rear."

—Edgar G. Guest.

## PETIT JURORS

State of West Virginia, Pocahontas County, To-wit: To the Sheriff of Pocahontas County, Greeting:

We command that you summon the following named persons to appear before the Judge of our said Court at the Court House of said county on the 7th day of December 1915, to serve as Petit Jurors for the December term of Circuit Court.

Zane Moore, Peyton Moore, W. H. Barlow, J. A. Reed, Ellis Buzzard, O. E. McKeever, G. A. C. Auldridge, P. L. Carter, N. F. Burner, G. P. Moore of Andrew, H. S. Burr, T. C. Burgess, Geo. W. Duncan, Kenna Hogsett, F. M. Sydner, M. C. Carter, E. H. Warwick, J. O. Morrison, E. G. Holsapple, W. S. Darnell, Howard Buzzard, Geo. A. Beverage, Edgar L. Smith, J. F. Darnell, J. B. Orndorff, Fred Pritchard, Jas. A. Sharp of John, J. M. Cutlip, T. A. Sydenstricker, Geo. P. Baxter, Everett Ruckman, J. M. Cassell, T. D. Moore of Aaron, J. W. Baxter, W. W. Marshall, John A. E. Hill, Wilson Hill, J. A. McLaughlin, Robert Dumble, R. A. Kramer, John R. Gum, Z. Smith, Bland Nottingham, E. F. McLaughlin, Irb Beard.

Witness, G. W. Sharp, Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county on the 30th day of October 1915, and in the 53rd year of the State.

G. W. SHARP, Clerk.

## COMING

Marlinton has a treat in store for her in the lecture of Miss Belle Kearney.

Miss Kearney is celebrated as a lecturer, writer and traveler. She stands as a peer of the most intellectual women in all lands. Having circled the globe a number of times and lectured in all countries, been the guest of Lady Henry Somerset, Count Leo Tolstoy and many other eminent personages.

In our own country she has been said to occupy the same place on the American platform as William Jennings Bryan. She is under the exclusive management of the "Scorber Lyceum Bureau," Philadelphia.

Her voice is beautifully modulated, rich and deep yet has a carrying capacity that is tremendous. Is famous for her fine English.

She addressed an audience of ten thousand at a meeting in Convention Hall, Washington, D. C., and was given a prolonged demonstration at the close of her lecture.

Hear her at the Marlinton Methodist Church, Saturday night, November 6. Admission 25 cents.

## There Is No Question

but that indigestion and the distressed feeling which always goes with it can be promptly relieved by taking a **Peppermint Dyspepsia Tablet** before or after each meal. 25c a box. Marlinton Drug Store.

## COUNTY COURT

County court was in session Monday, with commissioners Price and Arbogast present. Road superintendents Kesler, Beard and Barlow, Dilley and Wade were present.

A Change in the road on Back Alleghany was authorized, work to be done under the supervision of road superintendent Kesler. Mr. Kesler was given charge of three miles of the Cass road east of Greenbrier river, and directed to improve by widening or otherwise, as seems best in his judgment. Said work to be done in as thorough a manner as is possible, and report progress to future sessions of this court.

Mr. Barlow reported the machinery moved and in place at the quarry near Edray. The new bridge at Onoto is complete and is a fine specimen of the concrete type of bridge.

Ollie Smith, son of A. J. Smith at Edray, committed to the home for incurables. The Morgan child now at the county infirmary, ordered to be sent to the same institution.

The court passed on nearly all outstanding accounts, which will be written up by the clerk and paid as rapidly as circumstances permit.

Mr. Kittle, of the Tax Commissioner's office, who has been engaged in a provisional audit of the Sheriff's office, reported to his superior that the finances of Pocahontas county appeared to be in a healthy condition. According to his report there was \$15,000 cash on hand October 1, 1915. This amount is being augmented at this time by collection of taxes now due.

Clerk directed to advertise for two weeks for services of physician at the county jail for one year.

## READING CIRCLE

Little Levels district reading circle will meet Saturday, November 20, at 2 o'clock. Subject matter—chapters 5 to 6.

Program

What can be accomplished by correlation?—Carl Bruffay.

Mistakes to avoid in correlation.—Dyce Grimes.

The possibilities and limitations of a one-room school in "vocational training."—J. H. McCarty.

Question No. 5 on page 110.—Ray McMillion.

Vocational training through Home Projects.—C. M. Anderson.

What should be the rural teacher's attitude toward Agricultural Club work?—Walter Williams.

What is meant by "The Spirit of the Teacher"?—Miss Alberta Woodford.

The educational value of "The Difficult Problem."—W. E. Scott.

What has a community a right to expect of a teacher outside of school hours?—A. W. Hill.

Question No. 3 on page 139.—Miss Sue Smith.

Is an elementary school education sufficient scholastic preparation for teaching in elementary schools?—J. B. Grimes.

It will be noticed that this meeting comes one week later than the regular date. This is due to the fact that the district institute comes on the regular meeting date. In the first meeting there were four vacancies on the program. Will that be the case this time.

W. E. Scott, Chm.

## BUCKEYE

We are having dry windy weather; too dry to shuck corn. The health of the community is good.

Cam Armstrong is able to be out at work after being laid up with a badly cut foot.

Bill Liptra is moving from Swago to the Courtney farm near Marlinton.

Bill Jackson is moving from the mountain to Stamping Creek, below Millpoint.

Report of the Arboreale school for the month ending October 29, 1915—Flossie Conrad, teacher. Those neither absent nor tardy were: Ralph Arbogast, Mora Beard, Paul Ervine, Warren Brown, Merle Beard, Dick Arbogast, Delbert Gillispie, Helen Ervine, Myrtle Lambert, Janet Woods, Dora Sutton, Edna Stone, Dossia Wood.

The annual meeting of the Greenbrier and New River Round Table, which met at Hinton last Friday and Saturday was largely attended, and a very interesting and enjoyable time was had. The next place of meeting will be Beckley, in Raleigh county, and the time the last Friday and Saturday in October. The officers elected were: J. D. May, president, and Miss Hattie Harper, secretary and treasurer.

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## ONOTO

Ben McEnter, foreman for the Concrete Steel Bridge Co., has finished the new concrete bridge across the Big Spring of Stony Creek. This is a fine piece of work and one of the finest bridges to be found anywhere. A bridge has long been needed here and it will be a great help to the people.

E. F. McLaughlin and wife have returned from Covington, Va., where they spent some time visiting friends and relatives.

Rube Auldridge and wife, Mrs. Harry Harper and children, of Hillsboro, spent Sunday at A. C. Barlow's.

W. G. Cochran and wife and Henry and Ava Moore were at Marlinton, Monday.

Mrs. C. V. Hamlin was shopping in Marlinton Tuesday.

C. C. Baxter is building a fine concrete cellar.

Mack Mann is moving from the McClure place to his farm at Warwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Duncan of Buckeye, spent Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Baxter.

A. C. Barlow and Preston Duncan moved the rock crusher to Edray this week.

G. A. C. Auldridge was at the county seat Tuesday on business.

Harry Harper and G. C. Baxter have purchased fine thoroughbred calves from A. C. Barlow.

Miss Gladys Poling spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Forrest Reynolds, at West Marlinton.

Paul Sharp of Harter, was here Tuesday on business.

Levi Baxter and wife were visiting at Neal Baxter's Sunday.

Miss Grace Barlow went to Marlinton, Monday, where she will attend school.

Misses Edith Baxter and Faith Hutchinson were shopping at Marlinton Saturday.

Ben McEnter, foreman for the Concrete Steel Bridge Co., left Friday to join his family at DuBoice, Pennsylvania.

A. T. Moore's sale was largely attended and everything sold well.

Wm. VanReenan, Robert Beverage and Elmer Baxter went to the Millpoint mills Tuesday.

Amos Beverage is laid up with boils.

## CLOVERLICK

Perry Price has contracted the lathe mill at Boyer Sliding and will move there in a few days.

Charles Walters, the man on the pond, is very sick at present.

Mrs. George McCarty has returned from Pennsylvania, where she went to improve her health and visit her many relatives and friends.

Born, to Hermon Erwin and wife a girl.

George Carter, the efficient foreman of the mill about the first of December. We are sorry to see George leave; he is highly respected by everybody and especially the mill employes.

Revs. Nanna and Ramsey have just closed a very successful revival at this place.

The second district institute for Greenbank district met at Durbin October 29th, at 9:30 a. m. The following teachers were present on time: Mrs. R. K. Nevitt, G. H. LaRue, E. E. Lester, Lee C. Wooddell, J. M. Bennett, Mrs. Lida Gould, Ivanelle Harper, Madge Arbogast, Eugie Curry, Mary Wiley, Angela Weese. Those coming in late were, Geo. Lanham, Gaynelle Nottingham, Samuel and Charley Spencer, Bertha Overholt, Leona Pennybacker, Freta Bennett, Louie Armstrong. The program was very interesting and was carried out in full. Each subject was taken up as assigned, all joining in the general discussion, the experience meeting and the round table topics. District club work was discussed. It is hoped that all our teachers will organize at least one club. In order to further the work Geo. Lanham was elected district leader. The following visitors were present: Miss Lena McGraw, Prof. C. F. Hull, Rev. R. K. Nevitt, Jessie McComb, Sect'y.

Mrs. H. W. Moreland, Winterburn, W. Va., has written the police department asking the police to locate Harry W. Moreland, who left his home on October 9 to enter a hospital in Baltimore. More land is a cripple and was weak from suffering and worry. He had about \$50 in his possession when last heard of and foul play is suspected.—Cumberland News.

LOST—One Collie pup, 4 months old, black with white face and breast white ring around neck, four white feet. Please inform F. L. Gwin, Marlinton, W. Va.

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## CASS

Walter Ralston and family autoed to Greenbrier county last week and spent several days with friends and relatives.

R. S. Hickman and S. B. Nethkings made a business trip to Marlinton, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buthvant from New York, are spending a few weeks with their son F. S. Bullivant.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell, T. M. Garrett and Mrs. Jasper Auldridge motored up from Denmar Saturday, and were the guests of Miss Ada Doyle.

Bob McKiel is moving from the Max Curry property down on Main street this week.

Two large store buildings are being erected here—one for F. Hamed on the east side of the river, and the other for Brown Gum, on the west side.

Charles Clendenen spent Sunday at his home at Seebert.

John Steward is off on a two weeks' vacation from the C. & O. depot.

F. M. Sydner of Marlinton, was here on business this week.

Miss Ada Doyle was called to Marlinton this week to see her sister, Mrs. Harris, who is sick in the hospital. She reports her getting along nicely.

Miss Lillie Anderson from Virginia, is here to spend the winter with her uncle, G. B. Anderson.

J. F. Erwin has sold his bakery and has moved to his new home in Blackhurst addition.

Mrs. M. Siegel is spending several weeks with her parents in New York.

The new addition being built to the school house here, under the management of Henry Overholt is progressing nicely, and when completed will be one among the largest school buildings in the county.

Dr. Arbuckle of Maxwellton, was in town this week.

The Trey of Heart series which is being shown by the Cass Theater Company, is very interesting, it being necessary to run the second show to accommodate the people.

The town is making quite an improvement on the streets at this time.

We have a hustling little town; business is good—everybody working and everybody jolly and happy.

## TOP ALLEGHANY

We are having nice weather at this time.

Houchin and Varner have about finished the threshing in this section; they have a few crops yet. James N. Wilfong had the largest crop in this section, having over 700 bushels.

J. D. Wilmoth and wife and Lee Wilmoth were visiting at Loring Kerr's, Sunday.

C. M. Barkley and little son are visiting relatives here.

Samuel L. Spencer took a load of potatoes to Thornwood Thursday.

Top of Alleghany and Spencer schools commenced the 25th with Charles and Sam Spencer teachers.

Howard Phillips made a flying trip to Bartow Saturday.

J. H. Kramer, who has been superintending some road work near Hot Springs, for sometime, is at home now.

Lee Wooddell, Sam and Chas. Spencer attended the District institute at Durbin Friday.

William Varner has moved to Virginia.

Dudley & Gum and Uriah Hevener were weighing lambs here Tuesday.

William R. Houchin, and wife of Wilder, are visiting relatives in this section.

Mrs. J. H. Kramer and Mrs. Robert Kramer were visiting at Charley Spencer's Sunday.

Honor roll of Millpoint school for second month ending October 29, 1915, Elsie S. Hull, teacher. Anna Hefner, John McNeel, Joe McNeel, Erma McCarty, Hilda Kuhn, Mabel Simmons, Dennis Simmons, Samuel Brindle, Martha Beard, Kenny Fowler, Willa Dorman.

Honor roll, first month of Seebert school, 1st, 2nd and third grades—Miss Alice Clark, teacher. Enrollment 37.—Larue Robb, Lee Payne, Edwin Jones, Verl Pyles, Clarence Roberts, Clarence Hanah, Guy Clarkston, Gay Pyles, Cecil Syms, John Robb, Edgar Syms, Elmer Workman, Floyd Jones, Dewey Workman, Francis Irvine, Edwin Cook, Elise Steele, Barbara Cook, Virginia Irvine, Silva May, Anna Bell Clark, Rachel Irvine, Fannie May Laura Pyles. Total 24; average attendance 98.

## DURBIN

Rev. R. K. Nevitt and C. F. Hull have returned from a trip to Dunmore and other points in the county.

Mrs. J. B. Collins is recovering from an operation in a Baltimore hospital.

John Flenner and lady friends have been visiting here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hudson are visiting at C. F. Hull's.

George Marshall has bought the George Sizemore property and will move soon. Mr. Sizemore will move to Pikeville, Kentucky.

John Livisay is visiting his brother, C. K. Livesay.

Mrs. Maggie Stumbaugh, of Staunton, is visiting relatives here.

Perry Thompson of Durbin, died in a Cumberland hospital last Friday from a paralytic stroke. His remains were brought to Elkins and buried in Maplewood cemetery. He leaves a wife and four children. He was a Loyal Moose of Durbin Lodge 1465, and the first to break in on our record of 235 members. The order did its part to care for the brother.

Dr. A. E. Burner has broken ground for a fine brick building in town.

F. C. Sutton, with a crew of men are putting in a fill at the Big Run bridge.

G. D. Kincaid was in town and reports that he raised a pumpkin on his farm that weighed 140 pounds. It broke up in hauling. We find Mr. Kincaid is no slow farmer.

W. W. Marshall has purchased a nice property in town.

J. J. Engles has moved to town.

Rev. C. C. Arbogast preached a very interesting sermon at the M. E. Church Sunday.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely with J. E. Hall superintendent.

J. S. Mathews of Cass; Jes Hiner and J. Whitaker of Monterey; were visitors here this week.

Charles Bradshaw is in town with a crippled foot.

Miss Eugie Curry, of Frost, is here visiting Mrs. Mary Curry.

A. T. Carpenter, Mrs. J. D. Wilmoth, McAvo, Chas. Wisner, Al Simmons, and Mrs. F. C. Wickwire are on the sick list.

Ward Bros. are on the ground with brick and men to erect a three story brick building for Dr. A. E. Burner.

F. S. Sigler has contracted for a building for the Durbin tannery 300 feet long, 50 feet wide and 26 feet high.

Williams Bros. are unloading coal for N. B. Arbogast.

Wm. Myers has opened a fine confectionary near the bridge at West Durbin.

LeRoy Fenton, cashier of Durbin Bank, has been in Elkins on business for a few days.

Rev. R. K. Nevitt has closed a revival meeting at Olive. A lot good was accomplished.

The Durbin Mercantile Company has gotten a car load of feed and a car of coal this week—preparing for winter while the weather is good.

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## BROWNS CREEK

Bliss Shrader.

Moody Moore is working at the camp on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Moore were visiting at Bliss Shrader's Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Moore and family were visiting E. H. McLaughlin's Sunday.


Luther Hively of Frost, has been in this section husking corn the past two weeks.

Mack Ervine's brother from Cass, has been visiting him the past month and enjoying the hunting season.

Elbert McCarty's new house is nearing completion.

Rev. Willie Hogsett is holding preaching service on the Creek for a few nights. We are glad to have him with us.

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